



FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL ALLERTON CONFERENCE

ON COMMUNICATION,
CONTROL, AND COMPUTING

September 30 – October 2, 2009

Preliminary Call for Papers

DEADLINE EXTENDED until July 12, 2009

The Forty-Seventh Annual Allerton Conference on Communication, Control, and Computing will be held from Wednesday, September 30 through Friday, October 2, 2009, at Allerton House, the conference center of the University of Illinois. Allerton House is located twenty-six miles southwest of the Urbana-Champaign campus of the University in a wooded area on the Sangamon River. It is part of the fifteen-hundred acre Robert Allerton Park, a complex of natural and man-made beauty designated as a National natural landmark. Allerton Park has twenty miles of well-maintained trails and a living gallery of formal gardens, studded with sculptures collected from around the world.

Papers presenting original research are solicited in the areas of communication systems, communication and computer networks, detection and estimation theory, information theory, error control coding, source coding and data compression, queueing networks, control systems, robust and nonlinear control, adaptive control, optimization, dynamic games, large-scale systems, robotics and automation, manufacturing systems, discrete event systems, intelligent control, multivariable control, computer vision-based control, learning theory, neural networks, VLSI architectures for communications and signal processing, and automated highway systems.

Plenary lecture: Professor Abbas El Gamal of Stanford University will deliver this year's plenary lecture. It is scheduled for Friday, October 2, 2009.

Information for authors: Regular papers suitable for presentation in twenty minutes are solicited. Regular papers will be published in full (subject to a maximum length of eight 8.5" x 11" pages, in two column format) in the Conference Proceedings.

For reviewing purposes of papers, a title and a five to ten page extended abstract, including references and sufficient detail to permit careful reviewing, are required.

Manuscripts must be submitted by **Wednesday, July 8, 2009**, following the instructions at the Conference website: <http://www.csl.uiuc.edu/allerton/>.

Authors will be notified of acceptance via e-mail by August 4, 2009, at which time they will also be sent detailed instructions for the preparation of their papers for the Proceedings.

Final versions of papers to be presented at the conference must be submitted electronically prior to the end of the Conference.

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